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- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

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- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings submitted to the Office are not electronically reproducible. Drawing sheets must be submitted on paper, which is flexible, strong, white, smooth, non-shiny, and durable (see 37 CFR 1.84(e)). See Figure(s) 2, 3, 5 - 13.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:


Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$65** for a Small Entity

- **\$65** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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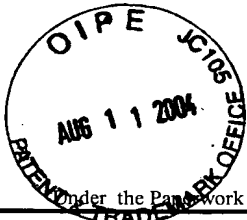
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, dated June 8, 2004, Applicants submit the following remarks:


Enclosed for filing is a substitute patent specification and a declaration signed by both of the inventors. The enclosed specification is the same as the one originally filed. Please substitute the enclosed specification for the specification filed on March 25, 2004.

In response to the requirement for replacement drawings, also enclosed is a set of eight (8) sheets of formal drawings. No new matter is added by these drawings. Please substitute these drawings for the informal drawings on file.

A Fee Transmittal form is enclosed authorizing a charge of the \$65.00 Government Surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e) to our deposit account.

Please date stamp and return the enclosed postcard indicating your receipt of the specification, declaration, drawings and fee.

Respectfully submitted,


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